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## THE COAST.

**What the Legislature is Doing.**

**INDIAN PEACE PRESERVERS.**

**Prophecies Regarding the Grand Future of California Wine Interests.**

**Special Dispatch to the HERALD.**

SACRAMENTO, February 25.—The Democratic members of the Senate, on suggestion of Hon. S. M. White, held a caucus to-night with closed doors for the purpose of considering the time of adjournment and the Ryland-Conklin contest. Nothing definite as to the adjournment was reached. It is conceded that Ryland will take his seat at the caucus to-morrow at 9 o'clock. The testimony in the Smith matter is all in and the committee are waiting for the shorthand reporter's notes. Chairman Heath says that the report will be made as soon as the reporter's notes are received. Enos refused to impeach Smith, as predicted by Moffit. Agnew said to-day that he would prosecute Smith if it cost him \$10,000. Smith called Moffit a loafer to-day and prevented Moffit from speaking to his (Smith's) mother. The Assembly is still considering the Appropriation bill. In the Senate they are still reading bills and advancing them on file. The Assembly has agreed to stay sixty working days, excluding Sundays and holidays.

## STRIKING COAL MINERS.

**Friendly Navajo Indians in the Rain of Peace Preservers.**

ALBUQUERQUE, February 25.—For about a week past the coal miners of Gallup, New Mexico, have been on a strike, but until yesterday it did not become of such a general nature as to require any more than ordinary precautions to protect those few miners who preferred to work at the old prices. Yesterday, however, there seemed to be signs of approaching trouble on account of an attempt of the strikers, who numbered some 200 skilled miners, to prevent the new hands, impeded by three companies, from entering the shafts. Toward the afternoon a body of Navajo Indians, who had been well treated by the local companies in the past, hearing there was some difficulty at the mines in which their friends, the owners, were likely to come out second best, sent word that if they were needed they would send from the reservation near by 100 braves to guard the mines and those of the miners who were willing to work. It is thought that the strike will end shortly as the companies are finding no difficulty in procuring all the new hands they need to work in the mines.

**THE WINE CROP.**

**An Expert Gives His Opinion on California Wines.**

NEW YORK, February 25.—T. M. Gilmore, of Bonfort's Wine Circular, recently returned from a trip to San Francisco, made in the interest of his paper, expresses himself delighted with California, and prophesies a great future for the wine interest of that State in particular. He said California produced last season 20,000,000 gallons of wine and that the coming vintage will not be short of 30,000,000 gallons. Wine men of the State are thoroughly organized and fully determined to overcome all obstacles in the way of making fine wines and champagnes. All they ask is a law from Congress taxing articles used in adulterating wines sufficiently to prevent this fraud. At present they are making red claret, good white wine, and one or two firms are producing excellent sherries. One firm is making natural champagnes which compares excellently with the best imported. The brandies of California did not strike him very favorably. In the distillation and storage of this class of goods he thinks the manufacturers have much to learn.

**AN ARCTIC SEASON.**

**Large Quantities of Snow Falling in Northern California.**

SAN FRANCISCO, February 25.—Dispatches received to-day report a heavy fall of snow in the Sierras. For the twenty-four hours ending at 8 A. M., 6 inches of snow fell at Colfax, 12 inches at Gold Run, 12 inches at Altin, 14 inches at Blue Canyon, 12 inches at Emigrant Gap, 18 inches at Cisco and Summit, 24 inches at Truckee, 9 inches at Prosser Creek, and 15 inches at Boca. Intense cold also prevailed in this region. The thermometer ranged to 16 degrees below zero at Truckee, 24 below at Prosser Creek, 7 below at Reno and 26 below at Boca.

**GRASS VALLEY, February 25.—**Nearly one foot of snow fell in this vicinity yesterday. The snow is now rapidly melting. The continued storms have been the cause of great loss to every one in the place. The ditches of the South Yreka Canal Company have been blocked three weeks. This has caused the stoppage of all work in the mines, as they depend on water as a motive power. It has thrown 500 men out of work, causing a loss of about \$1500 per day to them. Travel has been impeded on the narrow gauge, trains have been blocked and telegraphic communication has been cut off at times.

MERCED, February 25.—During the late storms in the mountains above Mariposa the snow fell to an unusual depth, doing considerable damage to barns and other buildings, blocking the roads so that travel is now rarely attempted, except on snow shoes. At Big Tree Station, Wawona, Washburn & Co.'s carriage shed was crushed in by the weight of the snow on the roof. Eight stages were smashed. At Cathery's ranch the roof of a barn caved in, killing a cow. One of J. W. Snyder's barns was crushed in through the same cause, but no stock was injured. The snow is quite deep low down on the mountain sides.

**AGAIN POSTPONED.**

**The Riverside Citrus Fair to be Held Later in the Season.**

RIVERSIDE, February 25.—At a meeting of the Executive Committee it was decided that owing to the backwardness of the season the holding of the Citrus Fair be further postponed until a more convenient time in the season, the date of which will be duly announced by the Chairman of the Committee.

## LEGISLATIVE.

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## THE SMITH MATTER.

**Enos Denies That Smith is a Forger.**

SACRAMENTO, February 25.—The Ray Ball investigating committee met this afternoon, and Thomas Agnew testified positively that he had never spoken to Smith about any bills of any character, and had never offered him money. John D. Enos said that Smith told him last night that Agnew, in a joking way at the Golden Eagle Hotel, in a crowd, offered him \$200 to raise a bill on the file. Enos said that the charge of forgery against Smith was not true. He had once drawn an order on Enos for five dollars while the latter was out of town, and told him about it as soon as he returned.

**VIRTUALLY KILLED.**

**The Walrath Debris Bill Goes Overboard.**

**Special Dispatch to the HERALD.**

SACRAMENTO, February 25.—The Senate consumed the whole evening's session debating the Walrath Debris bill. The amendments offered by the committee and Climie virtually kill the bill. It may reach a third reading.

Wright's Irrigation bill passed the Senate to-night and is now in the hands of the Governor.

The Senate adjourned at 12:10 A. M.

**PHYLLOXERA AT BERKELEY.**

**Measures to be Taken to Avert the Danger of the Pest.**

LIVERMORE, February 25.—The Vine-growers' Association of the Livermore Valley to-day adopted resolutions concerning the prevalence of phylloxera in the vineyard of Berkeley University, and respecting its probable future importation into Contra Costa and Alameda counties. It was resolved to appoint a committee to represent these facts to the next State Vine-growers' Convention, so that measures may be adopted.

**IRVING HALL.**

**Adopt a Set of Resolutions and Compliment Cleveland.**

NEW YORK, February 25.—The General Committee of Irving Hall met to-night. Resolutions were offered congratulating President Cleveland upon his course and approval of Governor Hill as a worthy Democratic standard bearer, all sympathy was displayed with the attacks of Hon. Abram S. Hewitt upon organized labor, and as Democrats they sincerely regretted that he manifested no sympathy for the toiling mass. They also voted the right of the party organization. The resolutions assert that corporations should be controlled by the State, and that franchises belong to the people and that corporations should be taxed. The resolutions also declare that the Civil Service rules and Internal Revenue laws should be abolished.

**AN ALLEGED EMBEZZLER Agrees to Return Without a Requisition.**

SAN ANTONIO, February 25.—Frank P. Raif, a ticket broker, was arrested to-day on a description furnished by the Chief of Police of San Francisco, where he is wanted for felony and embezzlement. Raif agreed to return to San Francisco immediately without a requisition.

**Died in Childbirth.**

SAN FRANCISCO, February 25.—Mrs Jeniae M. Crocker, wife of Colonel Charles F. Crocker, died in childbirth to-day at her residence in this city. She was aged 28.

**Will Support Ryland.**

SACRAMENTO, February 25.—When the Democratic Senators met in caucus during recess they agreed to support Ryland's claim for the seat held by Coulomb of Santa Clara.

**California Wine Shipments.**

NAPA, February 25.—Wine shipments direct to the East from Napa Valley are now over 50,000 gallons per week.

**No More Railroad Passes.**

CHICAGO, February 25.—The General Passenger Agents of the Central Traffic Association, who have been in session for the past two days to formulate their ideas on the Inter-State Commerce bill, have arrived at about the same conclusions as the railway managers of the West, namely, that the law prohibits all special rates, theatrical rates, passes, etc., except those distinctly mentioned in the act.

**Did Not Disclose His Intention.**

WASHINGTON, February 25.—Representative Morrow yesterday presented to the President a letter signed by Pacific coast Republicans urging him, in the selection of Inter-State Commissioners, to make a choice between John F. Swift, T. E. Phelps and ex-Judge J. McMichael. The President received the paper but gave no intimation of his intentions in the matter.

**Rather Different.**

WASHINGTON, February 25.—The General Deficiency Appropriation bill reported to the House to-day makes a total appropriation of \$3,573,504, while the estimates aggregated \$7,558,914.

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**KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.**  
How They Will Dedicate Their New Asylum.

On Tuesday evening, March 1st, the members of Cœur de Lion Commandery, Knights Templar, will dedicate their new asylum in the third story of the Los Angeles National Bank, corner of First and Spring streets. The interesting dedicatory exercises will take place in the asylum and there will be a grand banquet and ball after the exercises at Armory Hall. This will be one of the grand events of the season and will equal in magnificence dressing and appointments the Charity Ball of last winter.

The following committees would make anything in the known world a success:

Committee of Arrangements—Sir Knights E. F. Spence, G. M. Holton, F. Jordan, J. S. B. L. B. Lankershim, H. Z. Osborne, G. C. Knox.

Reception Committee—Sir Knights T. C. Ward, H. Orme, J. D. Bicknell, C. H. Dunsnoor, C. N. Van Noy, G. C. Charnock, Wm. A. Morgan, W. G. Farrey, R. R. Brown, O. W. Baldwin, B. E. Miles, George Hind, J. F. Crank, S. P. Jewett, Chas. Bell, C. V. Baldwin, Floor Managers—Sir Knights G. M. Holton, J. B. Lankershim, John R. McManis, H. R. Simpson, James Cuzner, F. G. Teed, E. H. Freeman.

The price of tickets, admitting gentlemen and ladies, is placed at \$5 and may be obtained from the following Sir Knights: C. H. Dunsnoor, County courthouse; E. F. Spence, First National Bank; R. R. Brown; Brown & Foster; F. G. Teed, City Hall; A. G. Bartlett, 18 West First street; J. B. Lankershim, Los Angeles Farming and Milling Company; F. Jordan, McDonald's Block; S. P. Jewett, Pasadena.

## THE COURTS.

**Superior Court—Hutton, J.**  
FRIDAY, February 25, 1887.  
People vs. Levering—Perjury. On trial.

**O'Malley.**  
M. W. Wright vs. Long Beach Land and Water Company—On trial before a jury.

## Justices' Courts.

**CITY COURT—AUSTIN, J. P.**  
People vs. Andrew Burns and G. B. Simpson—Conspiracy to cheat and defraud another of money—Examination set for Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., and each bail of \$500 accepted for defendant's appearance.

People vs. William Richie, alias Dickey—Same charge. Examination set for Tuesday at 10 a. m. Bail, \$500. Committed.

People vs. Burns and Simpson—Conspiracy. Charge dismissed.

People vs. William Richie—Conspiracy. Charge dismissed.

People vs. Louis T. Jacob—Battery. Trial to-day at 2 p. m.

People vs. Richard Morton—Burglary. Examination Monday at 2 p. m. Bail, \$500. Committed.

**TOWNSHIP COURT—TANEY, J. P.**

People vs. Pluner—Assault with a deadly weapon. Examination continued until February 26th at 2 p. m.

**Ballona Harbor.**  
The Ballona Harbor and Improvement Company Thursday gave an excursion to about thirty leading citizens and commercial gentlemen in carriages to the great work now going on at the Ballona Harbor. The entrance to the lake which is to be the harbor is now seven feet deep without dredging, and about a million feet of lumber has been floated into the lake from two large vessels lying outside securely in 27 feet of water, and only 1000 feet from the shore.

Mr. M. L. Wicks, treasurer of the Los Angeles & Santa Monica railway, conducted the party, and explained the plans of the Improvement Company and where the tracks of the railway would be placed to accommodate the union of ship and shore.

Full particulars of the plans of the work have been published in the DAILY HERALD, and are being actively carried out. The Improvement Company is officered as follows: J. Campbell, President; Frank Sabichi, Vice-President; S. P. Rees, Secretary; and J. B. Baird, Treasurer. It is in the plan of the company to build the approaches to, and sides of the channel harbor with piles, but later on to build in rear of the piles a stone wall twelve feet in thickness, and then to remove the piling. The visitors expressed full confidence in the engineering and were greatly pleased with their trip. Business and residence lots are selling at the rate of half a dozen per day, and in a short time a trading settlement will be formed at that place. This harbor was hinted at in the ILLUSTRATED HERALD last year before any plans or work was done.

**Departed Passengers.**  
The following left Los Angeles on the 1:30 train yesterday for the north: R. M. Apger, E. C. Beach, T. M. Lovell, E. M. Brown, J. H. Bobett, E. Brown, Miss Swetle, H. Tay, J. P. Meehan, Col. Carr, G. E. Hart, Mrs. W. R. Spence, Miss C. M. Hayes, S. H. Chamber, F. E. Sloss, M. Field, C. H. Clark, J. M. Whiting, W. Ripley, Mrs. C. B. Walford, A. B. Cole, A. M. Morton, W. M. Estepher, D. Schieffelin, J. H. Bacon, N. A. Lull, E. D. Layton, J. H. Myrick.

The following Pullman passengers left on the 7:30 a. m. train for the north: Alfred Stellman, C. O. Culver, Mrs. E. G. Jordan, J. H. Marks, J. H. Garrett, G. A. Jordan, L. Jacobs, Mrs. W. C. Fitch, L. T. Hayes, Mr. Alexander, D. L. Bliss, A. Cambridge, P. A. DuVuerre, J. J. Porter, W. Bonacic, C. McKinney, F. R. Murphy, Dr. Parrin, J. F. Frank, W. H. Ward, C. A. Fuller, G. G. Lebhart, J. Musgrave, G. A. Fisher, E. Worcester, Mrs. C. H. Cummings.

**Hanks Captured.**  
On the night of the 21st instant the sloop of E. W. Miles on Los Angeles street was burglarized by a negro named "Johnny Banks," who managed to carry away about \$150 in greenbacks and some other money. The constables throughout the vicinity were furnished with descriptions of Johnny, and yesterday Under-sheriff Mitchell received word from Constable Smythe of Anaheim that a man had been captured who answered to the description. Mr. Mitchell instantly sent word for the prisoner, who arrived on the afternoon train yesterday, and was identified by Miles and others as the burglar. Johnny now rests at the county jail, where he is likely to spend sometime.

**Mysterious Disappearances."**

Dr. William A. Hammond is to contribute to the Forum for March an article on "Mysterious Disappearances," in which he will show that many of the persons who so strangely disappear in our large cities are subjects of a temporary loss of personal identity, a not unusual form of mental aberration, and he will also many interesting cases in support of this view.

**SHAMEFUL ABUSE**

**Hooped Upon a Noted Englishman for His Open Honesty.**  
Wm. Ed. Robson, M. D., late of the Royal Navy, of England, has got into professional trouble for writing the following open letter to the editor of the London Family Doctor:

"I believe it to be the duty of every physician to make known any means or remedy whereby sickness can be prevented, and it is for this purpose I write to give my experience both here and abroad. I ask that publications of the statement that people may be warned before it is too late, to those that there is at hand a means by which they may be restored to perfect health. It is well-known to the medical world, and indeed, to the laity, that a certain disease is making a terrible havoc; that next to consumption it is the most fatal, and that when fully developed there is nothing to be done for the sufferer."

"Physicians and scientists have long been trying to throw light upon the cause, and if possible, find in nature a medicine for this fatal malady. They have shown absolutely, that the blood-purifying organs of vital importance are the kidneys, and that when they once fail, the poison which they should take out of the blood is carried by the blood into every part of the body, developing disease."

"In my hospital practice in England, India and South America, and also while a surgeon in the Royal Navy of Great Britain, I gave a great deal of attention to the study of diseases of the kidneys and urinary organs, and found that not only was the cure of chronic Bright's Disease hopeless, but that kidney disease was remarkably prevalent; much more so than generally known, and was the cause of the majority of cases of sickness, and further, that the medical profession has no remedy which exerts any absolute control over these disorders."

"Some time ago when I had a case which resisted all regular treatment, which was very limited, complicated with the passing of stones from the kidneys, myself against my will I permitted my patient to use Warner's safe cure, of which I had heard marvelous results. In his case the result was simply marvelous, as the attack was a severe one, and development very grave, for an analysis showed per cent. of albumen and granular tubercles."

"The action of the medicine was singular and incomprehensible to me. I had never seen anything like it. The patient recovered promptly, and is to-day a well and healthy man. This stimulated my inquiry into the merits of the remedy, and after analysis I found it to be of purely vegetable character, harmless to take under all circumstances."

"Casting aside all professional prejudice I gave it a thorough trial, as I was anxious that my patients should be restored to health, no matter by what means. I prescribed it in a great variety of cases, Acute, Chronic, Bright's Disease, Congestion of the Kidneys, Catarrh of the Bladder, and in every instance did it speedily effect a cure."

"For this reason I deem it my duty to give to the world this statement regarding the value of Warner's safe cure. I make this statement on facts I am prepared to produce and substantiate, I appeal to physicians of large practice who know how common and deceptive diseases of the kidneys are, to lay aside professional prejudice, give their patients Warner's safe cure, restore their gratitude and thus be true physicians."

"I am satisfied that more than one-half of the deaths which occur in England are caused primarily by ignorant action of the kidneys and the consequent affection in the blood of the populous urea and kidney acid. Warner's safe cure causes the kidneys to expel this poison, checks the escape of albumen, relieves the inflammation and prevents illness from impaired and impoverished blood. Having had more than seventeen years' experience in my profession, I conscientiously and emphatically state that I have been able to give more relief and effect more cures by the use of Warner's safe cure than by all the other medicines ascertainable to the profession, the majority of which, I am sorry to say, are very uncertain in their action."

"Isn't that a straightforward, manly letter?"

"Indeed it is." "Well, but do you know the author has been dreadfully persecuted for writing it?"

"How so? What has he done to merit it?"

"Done? He has spoken the truth 'out of school,' and his fellow physicians, who want the public to think they have a monopoly in curing diseases, are terribly angry with him for admitting professional inability to reach certain disorders."

"That letter created a wonderful sensation among the titled classes and the public. This jarred the doctors terribly. The College of Surgeons and Queen's College, from which institution he was graduated, asked for an explanation of his unprofessional conduct, and notified him that unless he made a retraction they would discipline him."

"The doctor replied that he allowed his patients to make use of Warner's safe cure only after all the regular methods had failed, and when he was satisfied that there was no possible hope for them. Upon their recovery, after having used Warner's safe cure, he was so much surprised that he wrote the above letter to the Family Doctor. He regretted that the faculties found fault with his action in the matter, but he could not conscientiously retract the facts as written to the Family Doctor."

"The faculties of both colleges replied that unless he refracted they should cut him off, which would naturally deprive him from again practicing his profession, and also prevent his securing another appointment in the Royal Navy."

The illustrious Doctor's dilemma is certainly an unpleasant one, emphasizing, as it does, both his own honesty and the contemptible prejudice and bigotry of English medical men. The masses, however, having no sympathy with their noseus keep on the remedy so highly advertised and get well, while the rich and able depend upon the precluded doctors and die!

**The Olive Leaf.**

The HERALD has received the first copy of the Olive Leaf, published by the young ladies of the Los Angeles College. It is a bright, sparkling little sheet. From the reporter's column it is learned that there are now 180 pupils on the college roll. Also that a number of new classes have been formed for the new term just opened. A botany class, under the charge of Dr. Nevin, who has made the subject a study for years, both in this country and in China; a class in Cesar, under the charge of Dr. Schreiber, a thorough classical scholar; new classes in algebra, geometry, zoology, geology, physics, political economy and mythology.

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A Large Commercial Movement.

The largest financial scheme now on foot is the prospective purchase of the wonderful Baku petroleum fields of Southern Russia, which eclipse anything ever before known in history, by Rockefeller, representing the Standard Oil Company, and the Rothschilds.

Mr. Rockefeller is now in Paris to make negotiations to that effect.

The price of the purchase and the size of the territory have not been published as yet, and it may be that the Czar may not permit the sale of such a wonderful piece of property to a foreign corporation.

It seems that the producers of oil in Baku have not the genius to manage and control the great gouting wells which they have made, but the Russians do have the genius to use the oil in running their great steamers on the Caspian and Black seas. Although burning springs were known at Baku as early as A. D. 943, no deep wells on the American plan were sunk there until within the last twenty years. When first known in history these burning springs belonged to Persia and were regularly visited by the followers of Zoroaster, the Persians are fire worshippers of Persia and India. These persons believe in a deity (Ahuramazda) the creator of light, whose symbol is the sun, and before the sun, the planets or the fire all their prayers must be said. In consequence fire is always burning in their places of worship. They believe in God, in heaven and hell and in a resurrection from the dead. A few weeks ago when Mr. Eduljee Sorabjee, a distinguished Parsee gentleman of this city, was looking with the writer at the perpetual fire that glowed from the petroleum and hydrogen coming out of the earth at Puente, it may be supposed that the devout and cultured visitor permitted his mind to run back to Baku, where his forefathers a thousand years ago worshipped before a similar shrine of fire. Should more of these followers of Zoroaster settle in Los Angeles they can easily establish their shrines on the hills and plains where gas and petroleum would serve them with continual symbols of Ahuramazda, the creator of light.

When the purchase of Baku is made, it may be that Mr. Rockefeller will turn his attention to the great petroleum basin between the San Gabriel and the Santa Ana rivers. Time will tell. In the meantime the work of producing oil in that district goes on apace.

Colossal Misrepresentation.

Mr. Seider, of the book and stationery firm of Hirschfeld &amp; Seldner, has just returned from San Francisco, where he saw on the bulletin board of the Daily Chronicle a notice of the fact that there were ninety cases of smallpox in Los Angeles, with several deaths, and passengers on the train wanted to know if it were safe to stop here.

The facts of the case have been published in the HERALD and been sent by telegraph to the Associated Press. There were twelve cases in a population of 50,000 in Los Angeles, but all were taken in charge by the Health Officer and placed under the best of care in the pest house. There have been no cases in the city for the last five days, and there is no reasonable ground for supposing that there will be any more.

Why the people of San Francisco are so anxious to publish such a dubious and unfounded lies about Los Angeles is easily understood. Los Angeles is a rival, and a first-class

rival too, of the metropolis. But because San Francisco is larger than Los Angeles for the present, only, and has leprosy, small pox and malignant diphtheria constantly, the people of Los Angeles never put it on the bulletin board and never discourage people from going to that settlement. All can go where they wish, the sentiment of Los Angeles. No Angelino deters a tourist from visiting San Francisco. In fact, it is pleasant now and then to see it out of a hundred of tourists go to that place, because it always results in securing a settler in Southern California after the visit.

The city of Los Angeles doubles in population once in four years, and with an industrial development surrounding it greater than that of any city in its size in the world, and a larger cash deposit per capita of its inhabitants in its strong banks, defies the adverse criticisms of the metropolis, and despises the falsifiers who send out the lying reports about the health of the city.

The health of the city is remarkably good. The town has twenty-six days of sunshine in every month, crops are good and business active.

Getting Out of Los Angeles.

A gentleman who arrived on the Los Angeles express this morning informed an Enquirer reporter that the smallpox scare was causing a great exodus of tourists from Los Angeles. At the Nadeau yesterday twenty-five guests left, and there is a general stampede for Northern California.

This is from the Oakland Enquirer of the 23d inst. It is quite true that twenty-five guests left the Nadeau House in a single day. They were the members of the Senate and Assembly committees of the Legislature with their clerks, who were sent here to look into educational, military and hospital institutions on behalf of the State, which contributes to the support of the same. It is also proper to state that when the twenty-five guests left the Nadeau, more than fifty arrived, and this hotel and all others in the city are crowded.

The Secretary of the State Board of Health at Sacramento can give all needed information about smallpox to the newspapers in Oakland and San Francisco. The same veracious gentleman (?) might have stated that 2000 persons left the city on the same day for Monterey and 600 for Alhambra, and that they all returned on the same day. News must be scarce in the Northern Citrus Belt!

The most remarkable spectacle in the financial affairs of nations is the rapid payment of the national debt of the United States. While other nations are incurring debts and others are just able to hold their debt account even, the Government of the United States is calling in bonds in sums of \$10,000,000 each. The last call published a few days since is for \$10,000,000 of three-per-cent bonds. At the rate at which the debt has been paid off during the past two years in a few short years there will be no debt left for the nation to pay. But it is a grave question whether it is not better to pay more slowly and spend money that can be had at three per cent in making improvements in rivers and harbors and in the construction of naval war vessels, fortifications and postoffice buildings. The national buildings of the United States in the West are a disgrace to the grandest republic of the world, and have been so for the past twenty-five years. The Government has the money on hand to do these important works, and its creditors do not ask to have their bonds paid in advance. In fact, they prefer to keep the bonds, even at this low rate of interest, rather than take the pay for them. Many reductions could be made in internal revenue taxes that would relieve manufacturers from needless burdens, give a great impetus to trade and largely increase the products and exports of the country.

THE POST OFFICE TO REMOVE TO THE NEW QUARTERS.

Postmaster Green gives notice that the post office will close at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and not open again until next Monday at 10 o'clock a. m., but during the hours of 12 and 4 o'clock tomorrow keys will be exchanged at the new postoffice. Nothing is said as to what will become of letters mailed during this time, or whether letters posted at the street-corner boxes will be sent off or not. This depriving Los Angeles of their post office is a device of Vilas. This man Vilas seems to be putting in all his time lately in annoying Los Angeles and something should be done about it. Every tourist who goes to the postoffice and fails to get a letter offers up an appeal which it is granted without fail to a place remarkable for its warmth. It may be, however, that Postmaster-General Vilas is not alone to blame for our wretched postal arrangements. It is not beyond the memory of that the administration of our post office under the late Postmaster General Gresham and Hatton called forth some little adverse criticism from the public, the only difference being that then Colonel Dunkelberger had to bear all the blame, whereas now anthonemas are heaped upon Vilas, who, being some distance away does not feel the abuse so much. As a matter of fact our postal arrangements are terrible, but they were just as bad for eight years before the Democrats came into power. That party can somewhat be blamed for not instituting a reform at this point.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

Undelivered telegrams for the following persons remain at the Western Union office: Hon Wm Henry Smith, Miss Emily P. Peck, F. J. Osborne, E. W. Jackson, E. C. Jordan, 3, Hennus, E. K. Henry, Mrs A M Haslam, J. Gibson, Londo C Emerson, Colonel J R Crocker, S. M. Beecher, Geo E. Bible, Charles M. Kipp, J. R Parsons.

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## DAILY HERALD.

TAKING OF TESTIMONY.

Contest of Mr. Lynch Against General Vandever.

At 10 o'clock this morning the following gentlemen will appear at the office of E. H. Owen, Notary Public, room No. 77 Temple Block, to give testimony on the part of Mr. J. D. Lynch, Democrat, who is contesting the seat in Congress of General Vandever. Mr. Lynch will undoubtedly substantiate every allegation made in his notice of contest. The witnesses will doubtless be in attendance promptly at 10 o'clock this morning.

W. S. Lyons, Chas Prager, B. C. Colvin, N. Lindenfeld, A. Lindenfeld, A. J. Methvin, J. M. Methvin, Sidney Lucy, Refugio Biderman, Ygnacio Biderman, Jesus Biderman, Thos E. Rowan, Jerry Conroy, Mathew Teed, M. T. Collins, A. C. Roques, C. L. Northcraft, Angel Calderon, A. G. Hobart, H. Clark, Augustus Baum, John T. Gaffey, A. F. McKee, T. F. Joyce, Michael Flynn, Louis Goodfellow, W. L. Berry, S. W. Kalisher, Jose Ejercitacion Rodano, Charles Hay, George Spiker, R. F. Seppulveda, J. L. Pakovich, Charles Gasque, John Abbott, William Abbott, D. A. Moriarity, F. H. Steel, F. Engel, James Cussen, Jno Sands, G. M. Moreno, Dr. Worthington, Louis Marshall, Henry M. Smith, Chas E. Miles, J. D. McDonald, W. B. Birke, Wm Steemer, Jno Osborne, Jno T. Brown, D. V. Waldron, P. Donalson, J. Moran, Chas Parcells, Thomas McCaffrey, Chas W. Schroder, Chas H. Dammour, B. E. Tandy, S. Hamilton, W. S. Waters, Theodore Neely, H. W. Paxton, D. M. Berry, G. H. Bonobrake, E. Blennerhassett, H. M. Mitchell, B. W. Hall, I. W. Hellman, Conrad Jacoby, R. F. Del Valle, J. F. Humphreys, W. J. Brodrick, T. A. Pallett, D. W. C. Cowan, J. C. Hannan, J. DeBarth Shorb, B. Chandler, Eugene Germain, Wm. Dryden, A. E. Fay, S. M. White, W. J. A. Smith, — Adams, S. H. Freeman, Vicente L. Sanchez, Daniel McHugh, Ramon Tarazona, Guy L. White, Jesus Ro, — Guiterrez, Domingo Agilo Mateo, S. M. Young, Giuseppe Arcicani, John Arguello, F. Conture, Jose G. Carrillo, Wm G. Smith, Batista Saccoccia, Baptiste Fouquet, J. W. Higgins, Andres Esteves, Leon Z. Zelena, — Witt, Patrick M. Smith, — B. B. Smith, W. L. Cowan, Chas Jansson, Geo W. Burtin, J. D. McDonald, Thomas Conroy, P. B. Hale, T. J. Cudahy, C. L. Cruz, T. F. Hotelot, Harry King, B. Molony, F. Lambourn, E. Argote, P. Dominguez, R. R. Dominguez, M. V. Bisezinaul, P. N. O'Donnell, Wm Rockwell, John Rice, John Zane, Louis Mendiburu, J. McElheny, W. H. Keran, Leo Allen, Wm Das, F. Gardner, Jerome H. Steele, J. W. Hughes, Geno Casco, John Pinches, Huber Arneil, Wm M. Greene, Wm P. Ross, E. Craig, P. B. Wilson, Harry Powell, A. L. Barber, M. Francis, D. B. Beamscombe, Jose Ramon Ybarra, Alfred Tidrow, Anto Ma Nioto, Rosalino Ortega, Jos Vagelio, Domingo Sacz, Jose Santos Lopez, — McNealy, Frank Newton, Juan C. Lorezana, J. R. Warren, W. H. Schuster, P. Martin, E. Peayton, Chas Buishall, James Hermon, John Peters, Frank Frame, Thos H. Power, Oscar W. Smith, — Hamm, Jos Chandler, Andrew Logomarino, Frank Le Shong, Alonzo Grabb, Jacob Bicker, Chas J. Williams, Asensolo Conheras, Frederick Gondire, Chas H. Spencer, Ira Brookaw, Franco L. Reves, Leslie Russell, Hugh McGuire, Jas K. Cole, Joe Doyle, P. M. Gaffey, Harvey A. Farter, F. C. Aiken, Jno C. Dixon, Man's Daire, Antonia Reins, Jose Gallego, Charles Coombs, George Webb, Samuel Gray, Frank Bowden, Chas Wilson, William Kertly, George Braggs, Fernando Limby, Henry Clements, Edward Hawk, Eugene T. Stiles, George J. Williams, Oliver P. Leavitt, John J. Henderson, Albert J. Sivelle, Charles Weiner, Frank Twiss, William Jones, Joseph Aldrich, Garcia, John G. Garcia, John Jones, Daniel Murphy, Hugh August Steinke, F. M. Nichols, Nickell, J. C. Cunningham, W. H. Allens, Otto O. Shobet, H. J. Stevens, Jesai German, W. L. Lewis, E. G. Cunningham, Joseph Daley, F. W. Elser, Valentine Kloss, John Ziegenguss and C. F. Rock, all residing in Los Angeles city, California; J. H. Brewer, Jesus Romero and W. Taylor, residing at Vernon, Los Angeles county, residing at Florence, said county and State; Barrill Neighbors, residing at San Antonio, said county and State; T. H. Stevens, residing at Compton, said county and State; Joseph Edgars, H. D. Bequiere, Louis Miller, John McNamar, Thomas Wilbury, residing at Monta Vista, said county and State; Ballard Brantete, James M. Mayes, residing at Downey City, in said county and State; J. M. Griffin, residing at Sepulveda, said county and State; J. Carillo, Bileto Bojorquez, J. V. Correa, Jose B. J. V. Correa, Jesus Rangel, Jose Vicentiano, Manuels Valenzuela, residing at Santa Monica, said county and State; Franco Soto, Felix Soto, Antonio Soto, Fred Carrasco, Francisco Solas, Santiago Gutierrez, Juan H. Tapia, Jose Ma. Cervantes, G. C. Serrano, Cota, Ruperto Lopez, Frank Williams, Peña, Luis Castro, S. W. Mitchell, Cesar Martínez, Gen. F. Soto, Jean Villa, Jose McNealy, E. T. Humphrey, residing at Artesia, said county and State; C. F. Park, Geo N. Spencer, Patrick McNealy, Chas F. Clark, Harry Bucman, Thomas Allis, Alois E. Stoller, Maeve Vejar, J. Alvarado, Robt. B. Bland, Fred Waldeck, D. F. Lane, Sanford Purcell, Thomas W. Clark, Ed Brown, John Hamilton, Geo N. Spencer, Geo A. Ross, Fielding P. Moultrie, Richard E. Pentell, residing at San Fernando, said county and State.

## The Stage.

There was another full house at the Grand last night to see Herrmann perform his wonderful tricks. The ease with which he manipulates his hands is wonderful, and his mechanical tricks are superior to those presented by other magicians who have visited this coast. There were a few changes in the programme last night, but there will be an entire change of programme to-night, when he will present his cabinet trick, which is said to be the best of its kind. The magic lantern pictures still continue to be one of the attractive features of the performance, and deservedly so for all artistic work should be appreciated, and as it cannot be appreciated unless seen, everybody should attend this afternoon at the matinee or to-morrow.

The Booth sale still continues to foot up into the thousands, and by Tuesday all the seats for each of the five performances will be sold. As it is, there are only a few seats left in the back part of the dress circle and gallery for Thursday night, when Hamlet will be given. Even the gallery is almost sold out for the entire season, and advanced prices are being offered for good seats for any performance. The speculators did not get a chance to make much this time, for passengers were not allowed to buy more than six seats for any one night. Mr. Booth has no reason to complain of his houses while here, for it is doubtful if there will be standing room left in any part of the house.

Norman Butler, of the Southern Pacific, returned from a visit to San Diego Thursday. He reports prices of real estate in that thriving town away out of sight.

## A DAMAGE SUIT.

**A Corporation Charged With the Death of a Boy.**

Yesterday in Judge Branson's department of the Superior Court the case of M. V. Wright vs. the Long Beach Land and Water Company came up for trial. Wright, the plaintiff, claims that on the 26th day of July, 1886, while his son, George Elwin Wright, aged 10 years, was bathing in the surf at Long Beach, a log of wood was thrown against him by the waves, killing him. The plaintiff alleges that the log of wood or pilings had fallen from a pier being built by the company, and had been allowed to stay in the water and be tossed around by the waves, and by negligence of said company the accident occurred. The plaintiff asks \$25,000 damages.

The defendant enters a general denial and avers that young Wright rolled off a high water mark into the surf, and that the log driven by the force of the waves struck and killed him.

Anderson, Fitzgerald & Anderson appear as counsel for plaintiff, and Houghton, Silent & Campbell for defendant.

The jury was sworn and the evidence of two witnesses for the plaintiff heard, and the court then adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

**FINNCE AND TRADE.**

**A Review of the Day's Transactions.**

New York, February 25.—The stock market to-day, while on a higher plane than yesterday, was much less active and rather feverish, giving unmistakable evidences of reduction in most of the native list. There was no steady movement on the list throughout the day, stocks changing frequently from weakness to strength, and vice versa. The market was somewhat irregular, but generally firm. Considerable weakness was shown in early dealing. The best prices of the day were reached shortly before 12 o'clock. Another slight advance occurred early in the afternoon, prices yielded over the entire list, but in the last hour strength in Erie preferred checked the decline and the cause was dull but steady, close to opening.

"Government bonds and State bonds were dull and steady.

Petroleum opened active at 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ , reached 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ , closed at 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ , sagged off, rallied to 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ , back to 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ , rallied and closed at 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Sales, 2,706,000 barrels.

## Financial.

New York, February 25.—Three per cent. Government bonds, 100 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; four per cent. coupons, 25 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; four and a half per cent. coupons, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Central, 100 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Gold, 100 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Texas, 100 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Northern, 100 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; New York Central, 100 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Oregon Navigation, 100 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Pacific Mail, 50 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Pacific, 50 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Texas & Pacific, 50 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; United States Express, 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Wells, Fargo & Co., Express, 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Western Union, 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; John H. Hughes, 20 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; Angelo Mateo, S. M. Young, Giuseppe Arcicani, John Arguello, F. Conture, Jose G. Carrillo, Wm G. Smith, Batista Saccoccia, Baptiste Fouquet, J. W. Higgins, Andres Esteves, Leon Z. Zelena, — Witt, Patrick M. Smith, — B. B. Smith, W. L. Cowan, Chas Jansson, Geo W. Burtin, J. D. McDonald, Thomas McCaffrey, Chas W. Schroder, Chas H. Dammour, M. V. Bisezinaul, P. N. O'Donnell, Wm Rockwell, John Rice, John Zane, Louis Mendiburu, J. McElheny, W. H. Keran, Leo Allen, Wm Das, F. Gardner, Jerome H. Steele, J. W. Hughes, Geno Casco, John Pinches, Huber Arneil, Wm M. Greene, Wm P. Ross, E. Craig, P. B. Wilson, Harry Powell, A. L. Barber, M. Francis, D. B. Beamscombe, Jose Ramon Ybarra, Alfred Tidrow, Anto Ma Nioto, Rosalino Ortega, Jos Vagelio, Domingo Sacz, Jose Santos Lopez, — McNealy, Frank Newton, Juan C. Lorezana, J. R. Warren, W. H. Schuster, P. Martin, E. Peayton, Chas Buishall, James Hermon, John Peters, Frank Frame, Thos H. Power, Oscar W. Smith, — Hamm, Jos Chandler, Andrew Logomarino, Frank Le Shong, Alonzo Grabb, Jacob Bicker, Chas J. Williams, Asensolo Conheras, Frederick Gondire, Chas H. Spencer, Ira Brookaw, Franco L. Reves, Leslie Russell, Hugh McGuire, Jas K. Cole, Joe Doyle, P. M. Gaffey, Harvey A. Farter, F. C. Aiken, Jno C. Dixon, Man's Daire, Antonia Reins, Jose Gallego, Charles Coombs, George Webb, Samuel Gray, Frank Bowden, Chas Wilson, William Kertly, George Braggs, Fernando Limby, Henry Clements, Edward Hawk, Eugene T. Stiles, George J. Williams, Oliver P. Leavitt, John J. Henderson, Albert J. Sivelle, Charles Weiner, Frank Twiss, William Jones, Joseph Aldrich, Garcia, John G. Garcia, John Jones, Daniel Murphy, Hugh August Steinke, F. M. Nichols, Nickell, J. C. Cunningham, W. H. Allens, Otto O. Shobet, H. J. Stevens, Jesai German, W. L. Lewis, E. G. Cunningham, Joseph Daley, F. W. Elser, Valentine Kloss, John Ziegenguss and C. F. Rock, all residing in Los Angeles city, California; J. H. Brewer, Jesus Romero and W. Taylor, residing at Vernon, Los Angeles county, residing at Florence, said county and State; Barrill Neighbors, residing at San Antonio, said county and State; T. H. Stevens, residing at Compton, said county and State; Joseph Edgars, H. D. Bequiere, Louis Miller, John McNamar, Thomas Wilbury, residing at Monta Vista, said county and State; Ballard Brantete, James M. Mayes, residing at Downey City, in said county and State; J. M. Griffin, residing at Sepulveda, said county and State; J. Carillo, Bilete Bojorquez, J. V. Correa, Jose B. J. V. Correa, Jesus Rangel, Jose Vicentiano, Manuels Valenzuela, residing at Santa Monica, said county and State; Franco Soto, Felix Soto, Antonio Soto, Fred Carrasco, Francisco Solas, Santiago Gutierrez, Juan H. Tapia, Jose Ma. Cervantes, G. C. Serrano, Cota, Ruperto Lopez, Frank Williams, Peña, Luis Castro, S. W. Mitchell, Cesar Martínez, Gen. F. Soto, Jean Villa, Jose McNealy, E. T. Humphrey, residing at Artesia, said county and State; C. F. Park, Geo N. Spencer, Patrick McNealy, Chas F. Clark, Harry Bucman, Thomas Allis, Alois E. Stoller, Maeve Vejar, J. Alvarado, Robt. B. Bland, Fred Waldeck, D. F. Lane, Sanford Purcell, Thomas W. Clark, Ed Brown, John Hamilton, Geo N. Spencer, Geo A. Ross, Fielding P. Moultrie, Richard E. Pentell, residing at San Fernando, said county and State.

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LAMB—Spring, 8¢.

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in the month of May, and am desirous of disposing of the following property on or before that time:

First—My residence, 405 Temple street; three-story house, 11 rooms and cellar; fully finished and built in the most substantial manner; good stable and carriage house; nicely improved grounds; in Temple street, 100 feet deep; also, 47½ feet on Bunker Hill avenue; by 100½ feet with 20-foot alleys; also, one of the finest carriage teams in the country, including a team of six fine drivers complete. This is a great bargain for parties wanting a complete and a well-located house ready for occupancy.

Second—Lots of lots on Temple street, opposite Oliver, graded, good location for business, residence, or fine residence.

Taft—Three lots in Block 2, Park tract; close to business; two lots in Block 8, Park tract; my old Orchard farm house; contains all the improvements, including an improved

ELECTRIC SUSPENSION FOR MEN. Also special attachment for Ladies' belts.

Life Renewer.

It gives me great pleasure to advise you that it has been of great and lasting benefit to me. I recommend it wherever I go as a most excellent life renewer.

A. W. Wooberry, Fort Canby, W. T.

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I swallowed bottle after bottle of medicine, but instead of doing me good, it often did me harm. I kept getting worse until I obtained Dr. Pierce's Belt which was the "medicine" for me. I consider it the most wonderful remedy ever discovered, and believe it will give all

the strength and energy I have lost.

Redwood Falls, Minn.

Three new, fine cottages in healthful, lonely, magnificient view, and only two miles from the city, and one-half mile from the ocean; for sale at a bargain.

One lot in "Olea" View tract and two in Washington tract. These will be sold cheap.

Owing to my departure, I am offering the above at prices considerably under the market and on terms that will be easy.

For prices and conditions, call at my office, 405 Temple street, or car house of the temple street cable railway.

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ON TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1887, AT

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By order of Eastern manufacturers, for whom it may concern, to the highest bidder, for cash.

This sale embraces the finest and most elegant furniture ever offered in the West up to date.

Also the finest and most valuable industrial work ever offered in the Eastern States or on the Pacific Coast.

Ladies and gentlemen, and furniture dealers particularly, are requested to examine before the day of the sale.

These goods will be on exhibition two days before the sale.

JOHN C. BELL, Auctioneer.

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## DAILY HERALD.

Our Correspondent Signed Service  
United States Army.

Notes of Commerce and Finance. Re-  
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port of Sanitation. Sanitation of Los Angeles,  
Cal., February 24, 1887.

WEATHER	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Cloudy	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Rain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wind	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+

**Recent Notes.**

A new crosswalk was yesterday placed on Main street at the foot of Court street.

The express train from the north, on the S. P., was an hour and a half late yesterday.

The case of Lewis Morris, formerly master of society hall, charged with having been the mastermind of the present party, was continued yesterday until today.

The Ladies' Benevolent Society would like to find a place for a woman who has a mouthful of baby. Only small wages required. Apply at 408 Hill street, this morning.

Hunting and Caw cannot agree upon the terms of a shooting fight. They might have a contest with the smallest gun the law will allow and hit the people who win the best gun.

The Illinois Society will meet to-morrow night at Good Templars' Hall, No. 125 South Main street. A literary and musical entertainment has been arranged and everyone is invited. Admission free.

The house of Richard Morton, the burglar who entered the back room of the California Bakery and stole a watch and some other things, will come up in the City Justice Court on Monday. Bail has been fixed at \$500.

The Pacific Studio goes after Mr. Sam Finger this week and unless him of all the others in the deadgame. The "Bull" will have a hard time finding people believe that Sam Finger would be guilty of a disreputable action.

It is stated that San Fernando will move to the front of the Riverside Circus fair March 8th with a display of olives and oranges. This entertainment has been very modest in regarding its products, but will however take rank with other fair shows.

A warrant was issued yesterday by Justice Austin for the arrest of Joseph Houser, an inveterate man who captured the bandit of E. Morris, about eight or ten miles out of town. Houser appeared on the stand with a coy smile and terrorized the people of the vicinity.

The workmen engaged in cutting a ditch through the concrete and asphaltic pavement laid down on Spring street corner of Second street, had a hard time of it. This pavement is said to be a success, and is the same kind mentioned in the Bay Area.

The post office will close at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and will not open again until 10 o'clock Monday morning, when the doors of the new postoffice will be thrown open. Box day may be exchanged on Sunday, at the new postoffice, between the hours of 12 o'clock and 4 o'clock p.m.

Dr. W. W. Hinckley will deliver a scientific lecture on the great pyramid of Egypt at St. Paul's schoolroom on Hill street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, Tuesday evening, March 1st. Dr. Hinckley is an interesting orator, and will illustrate his lecture by stereoscopic views.

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Mr. Kirtland committed a large number of the employes and head offices of the S. P. Company yesterday. He said he had recruited a number of vaccine points from the company, and was looking forward to the arrival of the new men. When the time begins to "tide," it will be safe to go near any man in the employ of the company.

Word has been received by the police that "James Kid," or "Jesus Kid," burglarized O'Neal & Howard's store in New Mex., in December last, and is sought. The "Kid" is a smooth-faced, good-looking young fellow of about 25 or 30 years of age, and 5 feet 6 inches high. He wore a light suit of clothes, light hair, a diamond ring.

The A. T. & S. F. Railway Company in addition to the control of all the railroads in Southern California, except the great Southern Pacific Company, has purchased the St. Louis, Kansas City and Colorado railroad, so that the company can now run their own cars from Los Angeles to St. Louis over their own track, except twenty-five miles at present unlimited out of this city.

At the close of the address of Mrs. C. Mason Kline, of the Relief Corps of the A. A. U., on Thursday, it appeared that apprehension had been made as yet for the welfare of soldiers. To start a fund, Gen. J. R. Williams, San Diego, organized a meeting of officers serving in the army, the friends of the men, the friends for which having been already prepared, and the money will be sent to the city by the Adjutant, Captain and Sergeant Major.

Mr. Davis has substituted his most excellent brand of hand made about 2000 lbs. each, 30000 feet, on both sides of the track of the railway, a removal deposit will be given by Gen. J. R. Williams in St. Paul's seminary, olive green, between Sixth and Sixth, on Friday, March 1st, at 12 o'clock p.m.

**Personal Notices.**

Dick Schindler left yesterday for San Francisco.

T. E. Hardin, of Bakersfield, is at the St. Elmo.

K. B. Sporer, of the Arrowhead Hat Spring, is at the St. Elmo.

Colonel Len Harris, the Southern Pacific detective, is in the city.

G. Gilbert Denton of Los Angeles, was at Long Beach yesterday.

W. W. Truman and F. T. Shadbaugh, of Oswego, N. Y., are at the Long Beach.

Moses Will Allen and Arthur Wright of Indianapolis, are visiting Dr. M. M. Knobell, in this city.

Moses Joseph Mammon and David May, both prominent merchants of Louisville, Col., are in the city.

It is needless to say that the popping of champagne cork dinned every other sound for several minutes after the promotion was made.

W. H. Stenzel and family of Orange, are at the Long Beach.

## CRADLE SONGS.

## DOMESTIC SCENES.

The entertainment is out of the hands of the managers of this day, which was held at Langham Hall last night, was a very successful as well as novel affair. The audience was large as well as judicious, and appreciated the tableau as well as the singing, which were excellent. As the name indicates "Cradle Songs of Many Nations," the entertainment was composed mainly of ballads of the various countries with tableaux of domestic scenes characteristic of the different people. The tableaux were set at the back of the stage on a raised platform set in a frame representing a picture frame. As the curtain rolled up on each occasion the stage disclosed some very pretty scenes represented by young ladies in costume. All of the cradle song tableaux were very taking, and particularly so were the Japanese, Chinese, Indian and Spanish representations. Every one of the tableau were enacted, but the Chinese girls sang, seemed to be the most artistic, the participants being called names after the country. Mrs. Henry Norton of San Francisco, appeared in both the first and second parts and in the latter sang a very pretty French song. Miss Mary Knott sang the English lullaby and the Indian and Spanish girls. Miss Carter presented a very good soprano voice, which she handled quite well. The most striking song of the evening, perhaps, was the "Egyptian" song rendered by Miss Broad. The reason for this was found in the setting of the scene in which Miss Broad was the central figure. Miss Broad reclined on a lounge while pretty representations of slaves stood at either side of the picture. The song, which is a lullaby, was acted by Miss Broad, who apparently fell asleep at the closing note. Miss Broad rendered a piano solo which included a Scotch air, as well as "Home, Sweet Home." The Irish cradle song was very realistic. In the picture which represented a family at the table, the hand of the family held a coffee cup to his mouth and an Irish potato to his hand. His wife held the baby while a negro maid stood at the other side of the table waiting for his portion. Alongside the baby was very interesting, and the audience was well pleased. Miss Myers and Miss Norton performed the various acts of accompaniment. The entertainment will be repeated this afternoon at the same place.

## The Beautiful Drama.

Twenty miles east of Los Angeles is the beautiful settlement of Duane, at the base of the Santa Monica mountains. This charming locality in the warmest, healthiest climate out of the frost, fog and gales of the plains, seems to be the home of the finest citrus fruits in the state. Don't fail to examine the bushes on the side road photo.

**Local Events.**

The great Fair of the Fair, a sure guarantee against SULLIVAN, CHURCHILL, COOPER and all continuing diseases, for sale only at C. A. McROBBINS' drug store, 21 North Main street.

Dog Jackson's perfect riding silks, at South Spring street.

## Local Events.

Should remember that in Whittier, W. E. Gandy, a real estate agent, and a man of the Bryan Block, connects him about business real estate or some in syndicates and partnerships controlling the same.

Buy Engleman's fine underwear, 10 South Spring street.

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## Hobbies &amp; Novel.

See A. Perry, of Bakersfield Stock Farm, Wilton, Ill., just returned to Bakersfield, Cal., with a fine lot of imported Persian horses. Some horses with their names, numbers, and ages, the best in our import into California.

Mr. Perry was the first importer of Persian horses from Persia to America. He met with considerable difficulty in getting his horses across the ocean.

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## Local Events.

For some time there has been a spreading interest in the great building scheme of General Lumber Company, by a special effort, have succeeded in securing a lot of thoroughly seasoned cedar and fir timber which will be used for the building of the new bridge over the Kern river.

Definite persons, and all whose systems have become debilitated, should bear in mind that Simmons Liver Regulator is a drastic purgative medicine, does not weaken or deplete the system, as other purges do, but purifies. It will cleanse like a glass of wine, but is no intoxicating beverage to lead to intemperance, will promote digestion, despite headache and will cleanse the body of the blood, too, will be filled with a dense purification.

Less than a year ago the Hon. C. C. Davis, of this city, bought a large tract of brush land to the south of the Dimonita. The railroad, in its course to the San Gabriel river, cuts through this land and finally fixes its depot upon it. Four months ago this land was covered with brush and cactus; but since the time Mr. Davis has had constantly at work from twenty to twenty-five men, and the change is a revolution to one who has not seen the land during that time. To-day the brush and cactus are removed, streets have been laid out and graded, water has been piped over the ground, and estates and stores are dotting the vicinity of the depot, with true California progressiveness. The Dimonita has not yet had its boom, but with the growing interest manifested in it, it is not unlikely that we may see here a repetition of the wonderful experience of Pasadena and Monrovia.

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The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services of Mrs. James H. Hinckley, at 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, March 1st, at the First Presbyterian Church, corner Hill and Adams streets, San Jose, Calif.

ROSS BARKER, M.D., Secretary Morris Vineyard, 21 C. T. U.

Grand Opera, 21 Spring st., with orchestra, piano, organ, etc., and a full complement of vocal soloists, and a full orchestra.

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